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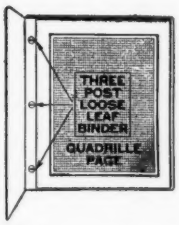

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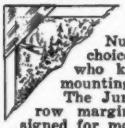

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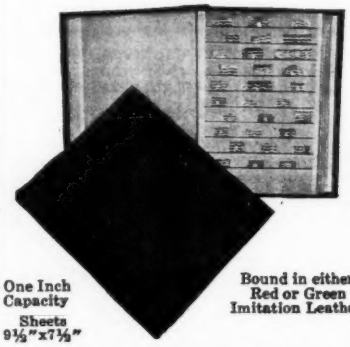

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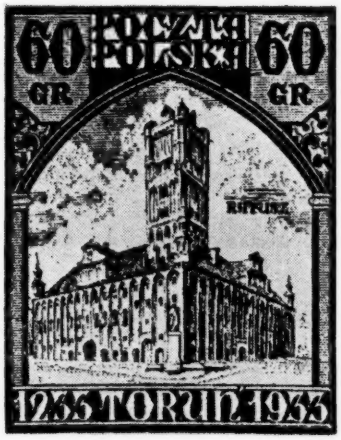
Torun Celebrates Her 700th Birthday « ◈ »

By John Switalski



POLAND has recently issued a stamp commemorating the 700th anniversary of the City of Torun. While there are many existing cities in Europe that date back before 1233 A. D., don't forget that this was two centuries before the birth of Columbus. At that time people still believed the earth was flat and they would have scorned and scoffed at the theory of the Solar System as their descendants did even three hundred years later when a native of Torun, Mikolag Kopernik, or Nicholas Copernicus as he is better known, wrote his famous thesis propounding this then revolutionary theory.

It is interesting to note that Torun is the capital of the Province of Pomorze, which has become famous in post-war European politics as the "Polish Corridor". The latter name is a misnomer, however, in view of the fact that Pomorze, or Pomerania, formed a province of Poland long before there existed a German Kingdom of Prussia, not to mention the German Reich that did not come into existence until 1871. This region is the historical Polish outlet to the sea, the re-establishment of which President Wilson insisted was a vital necessity in the reconstruction of Europe.

Torun first gained historical prominence when a Polish prince, Conrad of Masovia invited the Teutonic Knights of the Cross to settle in Northern Poland and convert the heathen Prussians (a people who were neither Slav nor Teuton not related to the Lithuanians) who were dwellers in what is now East Prussia. This military order of German monks had distinguished itself during the last Crusades. Coming to Poland, they made Torun their base in their campaign of "converting" the Prussians. However, these knights turned out to be overzealous and ambitious. Instead of converting the barbarians to Christianity, they exterminated them, took over their lands and their own descendants even adopted the name of the conquered people. Having grown more powerful through their conquests, they then began to struggle with the Poles for the possession of the Vistula Valley, a conflict that has been carried on by their descendants down to the present day.

Chicago Century of Progress Commemorative

Postmaster General Farley announces a new 1c and 3c commemorative stamp for the great Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago. Date of issue not yet announced.

After its founding, Torun grew rapidly owing to the fact that it was the center of the Polish grain trade, grain being transported from there down the Hanseatic League, it soon became one of the wealthiest towns in Poland.

In 1454 the townspeople rose in revolt against the Teutonic Knights and declared Torun as a possession of Poland. After a peace treaty there in 1466, the Order again recognized Polish sovereignty over this territory.

A few years later in 1473, Copernicus was born here in a house that is occupied to this day. Although there is ample proof that he was a Pole, the Prussians still claim him, so it is not surprising to see on another house a tablet in German saying that he was born there.

After the First Partition of Poland in 1772 when Frederick the Great seized all of Pomerania, Torun lost the trade from the Polish hinterland and hence like Danzig, began to decline. Although because of the restoration of Poland Torun is regaining her former position, it is not surprising that the present population is only 60,000. On the other hand this has enabled the city to preserve a delightful, medieval appearance.

A large portion of the ancient town walls are still intact, together with some picturesque gates and a peculiar leaning tower jutting out from one section. Between the walls and the lovely market-place are centuries old buildings including most of the granaries that were used in the middle ages.

Perhaps the most beautiful monuments are three massive, venerable churches. St. John's, erected in the

13th century and the 14th century churches of St. James and St. Mary's. All of these were constructed in what is known as the Vistula Gothic style. In this part of Europe people did not have the materials to build the highly adorned stone Gothic structures as are found in the western countries. So churches and other buildings were built entirely of brick. The simple, mellow tone of this style of Gothic architecture is often more impressive than the sometimes over-elaborate stone edifices, just as in Greek architecture the quiet beauty of the plain Doric style often pleases one more readily than the more developed Ionic or Corinthian. In the Marienkirche, Danzig possesses the largest brick Gothic church in existence, while the Church of Mary in Krakow, is no doubt, the finest example.

Torun prides herself on one other fine brick Gothic structure, the Ratusz, or Town Hall, the oldest in Poland, the construction of which was begun in 1259. Unhappily, much of the magnificent interior arrangement was destroyed in 1703 during the bombardment of the city by the Swedes. A picture of this building appears on the 60 groszy commemorative stamp.

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ARGENTINE REPUBLIC—Official Stamps. Overprinted "M. R. C." in Sans-Serif Capitals:

A104—3c. green
(Scott's Supplement)

BRAZIL—The design of the new 150r., referred to in our notes of Mar. 4th, will include a ship sailing under the Southern Cross.
(Philatelic Magazine)

CHINA—Kwangsi—A special overprint on stamps for use in this province are reported on the old junk type.
(Philatelic Magazine)

DUTCH INDIES—The 1931 provisional, 12½c. on 20c. blue, Scott's #160, has been discovered with the overprint inverted.

In addition to the two high value Air Mails, heralded in our notes of Mar. 4th, it is also reported that a 20g. value will also be issued.
(Philatelic Magazine)

EGYPT—Five of the new Air Mail stamps, heralded as far back as our issue of Jan. 16th, 1932, have just been received. The scene shows a modern air liner in flight over the Pyramids. All the centers are in black; the borders in the colors listed below:

1m. orange
2m. gray
3m. deep brown
4m. bright green
7m. blue
(Philatelic Magazine)

ICELAND—A new value, a 7 aur, same design as the usual portrait type is to be added to the current series during March.
(Philatelic Magazine)

INDIA—In our notes of Jan. 28th, we listed the 1½ch., as being Scott's A2, this should have been A7.
(Scott's Supplement)

ITALY—New issues proposed. A Holy Year Series, to be issued about the time as that issued for the same purpose by the Vatican State and an issue to commemorate Ludovico Ariosto, a famous Italian painter.
(Philatelic Magazine)

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10c black on pale pink (same as 1c.)
15c. black on red orange (same as 2c.)
20c. yellow brown (Two Native Women)

25c. brown violet (same as 1c.)
30c. green (same as 2c.)
40c. dark brown (same as 20c.)
45c. brown (same as 2c.)
50c. red (same as 2c.)
65c. red on pale green (same as 20c.)
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MANCHUKUO—A new commemorative set of four values, 1fen, 2fen, 4fen, and 10fen, and also a set of three pictorial post cards commemorating the first year's anniversary of the founding of the state were due to be issued Mar. 1st.

(Karl Lewis)

Note: We withheld these notes for a couple of weeks, hoping to receive the stamps so as to illustrate at the same time.

NEWFOUNDLAND—A special set of commemoratives, in honor of the taking possession of the island, will be issued this next August. Also new Air Mail stamps, of 10c., 30c., 60c. and 75c. denominations will be issued in June or July.

(Philatelic Magazine)

SUDAN—Essays for pictorials, heralded in the philatelic press as far back as May 1931, have been seen, so it is evident that they will not now be long in appearing. The designs, if adopted, will be: (a) A Nubian Ibex on a rocky peak; (b) A Shilluk Warrior; (c) A Shilluk Tribesman in a Reed Canoe; (d) Head and shoulders portrait of a Hadendoa tribesman; (e) Sennar Dam; (f) A view of Kassala Mountain; (g) Whale-headed stork; (h) Nile lechwi on the run; (i) Faggara girl riding a bullock.

(Philatelic Magazine)

SYRIA—Commemorative stamps will be issued in honor of Aboul Ala el Mouarri, an Arabic philosopher. Part of the proceeds of the issue will go to the erection of a mausoleum dedicated to him.

(Philatelic Magazine)

TRIPOLITANIA—The Annual Agricultural Fair, will of course, be marked by the usual issue of full postage and air mail sets.

(Philatelic Magazine)

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA—Certain values, the ½p., 1p., 2p., 3p., 4p., 6p. and 1s. were overprinted alternately "Customs Duty" and "Douane", the latter being the Afrikaan for customs duty. We note these merely that our readers may know them should they see them. THEY DID NOT PAY POSTAL DUTY, SO THEREFORE DO NOT RANK AS POSTAGE STAMPS.

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Precancels

Information regarding new issues and notes of interest on all Precancels, other than Buro Prints, should be sent direct to the Editor of this column.
K. M. GIERHART, BALTIMORE, OHIO

The banking situation must have even tied up collectors postage money as letters have simmered down to merely nothing, whereas but a few short weeks ago things were very much on the up and up.

At that I received some very nice lots. One from H. E. Cory, of St. Louis. It contained a booklet pane of six, 2c value, Albuquerque, N. Mex. Arbor Days from Pawtucket, R. I. in the tall handstamp type and Lebanon Pa., U-82. 3c Olympic Kannapolis, N. C., and a 5c Olympic Newburgh, N. Y. hand electro. An odd one was a 10c South River, N. J. in blue ink but as you know blue on yellow makes green and this is what happened on this one. I mentioned this blue ink variety on the 2c value some time back. A lot of nice doubles were included too but I make mention only of the printed types as handstamp doubles I do not think are worthy of much mention. Few doubles come out of Detroit even if a lot of Fords do, but Mr. Cory has a 2c due and 30c up double printed in U-13 type. Another 30c from Worcester, Mass. U-10. Then a 11c, 17c and 20c down from Buffalo, N. Y. U-4. A 50c Bridgeport, Conn. down ends the list of electro doubles. One Handstamp double I think worthy of mention was a 20c Value from Benton Harbor, Mich. Type II. one impression normal and the other up.

Mr. Paul J. Young of Morristown, Pa., advises me that all values of the Bi-Centennial issue were precancelled here but not all in one type. The 1½, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10c in a type similar to U-48, then the 1, 8, 9c in a double line handstamp and I know the 10c exists in this as I have it. The ½c and 6c in a type which is possibly a hand electro. I wonder what became of Morristowns U-10 plate?

H. L. Emerson of Biddeford, Me., submits and reports a 1c and 1½c Bi-Centennial and ½c and 1c ordinary from here in type U-71. Mrs. W. H. Herzler of Richmond, Ind., reports an Oglethorpe from Three Oaks, Mich., hand electro type. I also saw a 5c Olympic from Washington, D. C., in the U-16 type. I have a 5c Olympic from Jackson, Mich. inverted. I wonder if all were inverted. Who has a normal?

Here is one for you envelope collectors. Capt. Harry Pforzheimer of Ft. Thomas, Ky., submits a precancelled envelope from Ft. Thomas. It is a regular government printed envelope small size. It seems that Ft. Thomas is and always has been a substation of Newport, users of precancels use Newport precancels, but an

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order from a merchant in Ft. Thomas for 500 envelopes brought forth these ones precancelled Ft. Thomas instead of Newport. These were the only ones ever made as the reorder was filled with Newport envelopes, which I note are listed in the envelope section of the catalog, but the others are conspicuous by their absence. It is evident that very few of these were saved and if envelope precancels ever amount to anything this ought to be a good one.

Right along with the above the Indiana Stamp Club in announcing the dates of the Precancel Stamp Society convention used a government postal with a new type of precancel on it, designed purposely for this type of mail. This of course was precancelled Indianapolis.

Stamping Around

At the monthly meeting of the University Stamp Club of Madison Wisconsin in February, Mr. Herman Kerst presented a paper on the Chemistry of Stamps which covered the papers used, their manufacture, the types of inks and dyes, and the gums used. Discussion of the coming second annual show of the society followed. This year's exhibit will be held March 30th to April 2nd, at the City Y. M. C. A. The University Stamp Club will be the host to the Wisconsin Association of Stamp Societies. Dr. Clarence Hennan, Chicago, President of the A. P. S., will again have charge of the judging. Exhibits will be accepted from any Wisconsin collector. For further information, write the Secretary, Mr. Herman Kerst, 823 Irving Place, Madison, Wisconsin.

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The new stamp will be of the three-cent denomination printed in purple ink. It will show Washington's headquarters at Newburgh, with his flag flying from the staff and depict the surrounding mountains and river. At the top of the stamp will be the words "U. S. Postage."

The stamp will be placed on sale at the post office at Newburgh, N. Y., on April 19, and at the Philatelic Agency, Washington, D. C. on the day following. It will be on sale at other post offices throughout the country as soon as distribution can be made.

There will be 50,000,000 of the new stamp printed at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing for use of postmasters.

The Hasbrouck House, at Newburgh, which Washington occupied as his headquarters and which is still standing, claims to be among our most cherished and famous Revolutionary shrines. Washington occupied the home from April 1, 1782 to August 19, 1783. It was from this house that he wrote his famous letter of advise to the Governors of the States, and also his reply to Colonel Nicola, disdaining the offer of a crown.

The headquarters are often referred to both as the first White House and the Cradle of the Republic. It was here, on April 19, 1783, that General Washington issued the formal Proclamation of Peace with the British and from here that many of the Continental troups were disbanded.

Martha Washington spent considerable time at the Newburgh headquarters, and helped to receive the distinguished guests and to entertain the Generals and their wives.

The headquarters and surrounding park are owned by the State of New York.

The official order, issued by General Washington. containing the Proclamation of Peace, reads as follows:

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10.	Danzig Charity (1929) 556-8	.70
11.	Egypt (1925 Geog. Congress) 105-7	2.80
12.	Egypt (1926 Agricultural Exhib.) 108-13	8.40
13.	Egypt (1926; 1926; 1927) 108-10; 115-7; 125-7	2.25
14.	Egypt (1926; 1928; 1929) 118-20; 144-5; 146-9	2.02
15.	Eritrea (1903; 1903) 109-15; 401-7	4.21
16.	France (1927; 1927; 1928) 420-7; 428-30; 432-4	2.03
17.	Germany (1928; 1929; 1930) 697-701; 702-6; 711-4	3.25
18.	Iceland (1930 Millenary) 152-61/303	1.28
19.	Iceland (1930 Millenary cpl.) 152-166	12.28
20.	Italian Somaliland (1929) 102-8	3.27
21.	Italy (1921; 1922; 1924) 125-7; 132-4; 152-5	1.40
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23.	Italy (1923; 1926; 1921) 146-9; 176-80; 128-31	1.30
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25.	Italy (1929 Monte Cassino) 232-8	3.24
26.	Italy (1930 Ferrucci) 242-6	1.35
27.	Italy (1930 Virgil) 248-54	.58
28.	Italy (1931 St. Anthony) 258-64	1.38
29.	Italy (1923 Black Shirt) 417-19	1.10
30.	Italy (1924 Holy Year) 420-5	1.59
31.	Liechtenstein 4 to 52. 46 var.	4.42
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35.	Liechtenstein (1929) 90-3 Portraits	1.45
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42.	Philippines (1926 Legislature) 319-24	2.45
43.	Roumania (1928) 328-34	1.60
44.	San Marino (1922; 1925) 61-6; 89-91	1.42
45.	San Marino (1923; 1924) 71; 72-6	3.60
46.	San Marino (1926; 1923) 94-7; 368-74/451	2.23
47.	Syria (1925) 173-85	1.53
48.	Tripolitania (1929 Monte Cassino) 28-34	3.24
49.	Tripolitania (1931) 259-66	3.02
50.	Uruguay (1898; 1930) 134-9; 374-9	1.35
51.	Uruguay (1925; 1928) 300-2; 364-6	1.80
	USED FOREIGN SETS	
	Everything in fine condition	
52.	Bosnia (1906 Pictorials) 30-45	1.56
53.	Congo Commem. (1928 Stanley) 115-29	1.54
54.	Congo (1923-6) 88-114	2.75
55.	Egypt (1926) 114	2.00
56.	Finland (1929; 1930) 172-4; 302-4	.87
57.	Italy (1924) 420-5	1.59
58.	Liechtenstein 1-3	4.50
59.	Liechtenstein 4-49. 36 var.	3.96
60.	Liechtenstein 54-81	7.98
61.	Liechtenstein 82-89 Prince John	10.90
62.	Switzerland Air Mail 275, 277-287, 12 var.	3.86
63.	Switzerland Postage Dues 40 var.	4.25
64.	Switzerland Juventutes 64 var. complete	14.00
65.	Switzerland Juventutes 50 var.	9.00
66.	Switzerland League & Labor, 8 var.	5.76
67.	Switzerland Tete Beche pairs and combinations	10.50
68.	Turkey Pictorials, 51 var.	2.82

THE WESTCHESTER STAMP CO. MAIL ORDER AUCTION

Lot No.	Description	Cat. Value
	AIRMAILS—Mint Condition	
	All Excellent Quality unless noted	
69.	Abyssinia (451-461) violet surch.	10.05
70.	Abyssinia (1931) 462-8 cpl.	3.46
71.	Argentine Zeppelins blue surch. (520-522)	9.00
72.	Argentine Zeppelins green surch. (525-528)	12.00
73.	Alaouites (1925; 6; 9) 205-16 cpl.	3.00
74.	Austria 675-85 cpl.	3.25
75.	Austria, scarce high values 700-702	5.40
76.	Belgium (1930) 531-4; 535	1.98
77.	Canal Zone (1929) 201-4	1.40
78.	Costa Rica. 301-305 cpl.	1.40
79.	Costa Rica. 311-313, Scott's net price is	3.90
80.	Czechoslovakia (1930) 513-20 cpl.	3.50
81.	Danzig (1924) 428-32 cpl.	1.85
82.	Danzig (1932 Exhibition). Beauties. Worth net	.75
83.	Denmark 701-5 cpl.	1.30
84.	Dominican Republic (1930) 506-9 cpl.	2.45
85.	Dutch Indies, 563-5, face value $4.80	9.84
86.	Dutch Indies (1930 Provisionals) 361, 562	1.30
87.	Ecuador, 401-7, set to 5 sucres	7.06
88.	Egypt 251-4 cpl. including Zeppelins	6.45
89.	France (1927) 351-2 first issue	2.00
90.	France Ile de France, 353, trimmed on 3 sides but genuine. Unused without gum	50.00
91.	Germany (1931) 642-4 North Pole	3.50
92.	Guatemala, 704, 714-15	1.75
93.	Honduras, 416-7, 436	3.00
94.	Honduras, 446-450, scarce, worth $3.50	5.00
95.	Honduras, 464-472 (worth $3.00)	4.19
96.	Hungary (1931) 974-5, Zeppelin	1.85
97.	Iceland (1931) 309-11 Zeppelin	1.60
98.	Iceland Zeppelin issue in blks. of 4	6.40
99.	India (1929-30) 501-6 cpl.	1.75
100.	Italy (1930) 562-6	1.40
101.	Italy Ferrucci (617-9) cpl.	1.23
102.	Italy Virgil, 620-3 cpl.	2.38
103.	Japan (1929) 453-6 cpl.	.78
104.	Latvia (1931) 301-6, Army Reserve	2.30
105.	Lebanon (1924) 201-4 cpl.	2.25
106.	Lebanon (1925-6-7-8) 209-24 cpl.	2.95
107.	Liechtenstein (1931) 407-8 Zeppelin	2.00
108.	Mexico (1927) 902-3/905	1.95
109.	Mexico (1929) 923-8 cpl. Rouletted	1.22
110.	Mexico (1930-31) 933-40 cpl. surch.	3.45
111.	Mexico (1930) 1164-7 cpl. OFFICIAL	2.00
112.	New Guinea (1925) 1-9 set to 1sh	2.44
113.	New Zealand (1931) 801-4 complete	.81
114.	Norway (1925) 120-6 North Pole	1.34
115.	Panama (1929-30) 701-5 complete	2.20
116.	Papua (1929-30) 201-4 complete	1.36
117.	Paraguay (1929-30) 416-21; 432-4	1.65
118.	Paraguay (1931) 440-4 Ships	1.10
119.	Paraguay (1931) 455-6 Zeppelin	1.00
120.	Persia (1930) 1134-47, 14 var.	1.76
121.	Philippines (1928) 328-32, 5 var.	3.40
122.	Roumania (1928-30) 501-9; nine var.	.97
123.	Salvador, 669, 670-3 cpl. scarce	5.00
124.	Siam (1930) 405-12	2.58
125.	South West Africa (1930) 501-4	3.00
126.	Spain (1920) 701-5	1.01
127.	Spain (Railway Congress) 712-17	2.38
128.	Surinam, 501-7, Face Value $1.60	3.16
129.	Switzerland, 275, 277-89 complete, Face $1.75	4.56
130.	Syria (1924; 1924) 218-21; 322-5	2.00
131.	Syria (1925; 1926) 326-9; 330-3	1.06
132.	Syria (1929; 1926) 338-44; 513-6	2.44
133.	Tunis (1927) 203-6	1.40
134.	Uruguay (1924) 604-6	2.35
135.	Uruguay, one peso, 651	3.00
136.	Uruguay, new colors, 643-54	22.34
137.	Venezuela, 401-14, 5c-3.70b	7.50
138.	Panama ERROR, 716b, pair, imperf. between	12.00
139.	Panama ERROR, 716b, block, imperf. between	24.00
	BRITISH COLONIES	
140.	Australia 1932 Sydney Bridge 2d, 3d, ovpt. O. S. worth	2.50
141.	Bahamas, (1883) 4p on 6p, No. 25, two perfs. missing, used	20.00
142.	Bahamas, 101 mint	5.00
143.	Barbadoes, (1916) 3sh, 137, used, has defect	15.00
144.	Barbadoes, (1920) 3sh, 150, used, fine	4.00
145.	Barbuda, (1922), 6d, 1sh No. 5, No. 10, both used	3.50
146.	Br. Honduras, (1884-88) No. 15, 23, 30	4.75
147.	Br. W. Indies, 4 var., values 1sh to 5sh	7.50
148.	Br. W. Indies, 47 var. good lot	18.07
149.	Cyprus, (1923) 45pi, 92, used. RARE item	45.00
150.	Dominica, (1921), 2sh 6p, No. 67, mint	5.00
151.	Gambia, (1902) 1sh 6d, No. 36, used	3.00
152.	Gambia, (1902) 2sh 6d, No. 38, used	5.00
153.	Gambia, (1909-12), 7½d, 1sh, 3sh, No. 63, 81, 85	6.85
154.	Gibraltar, (1912), 2sh, 72 used, 2sh, mint	4.00
155.	Gibraltar, (1912), 4sh, 73 mint	6.00
156.	Grenada, (1913), 1sh, 2sh 6p, 5sh, No. 85-7, used	8.00
157.	Ionian Is. 1-3 complete	12.00
158.	Jamaica, (1919), 5sh No. 86, light canc., centered	9.00
159.	Kenya, (1921), 2 rupee, No. 11 used	4.00
160.	Kenya, (1921), 5 rupee, No. 14 used	12.00
161.	Malta, (1914), 2sh, No. 60, used	4.00
162.	Malta, (1914), 5sh, No. 61, used, fine	18.00
163.	Malta, (1922), 10sh, No. 109, dated Valetta pmk.	6.00
164.	Malta & New Zealand, 11 var. mint	7.54
165.	Nevis, (1876), 1p No. 14 unused	3.00
166.	New Hebrides surcharges, (1921-4) No. 140-3, mint	3.20
167.	Nyassaland Prot. (1913), 4sh No. 21 used	3.50
168.	St. Kitts, (1922), 2sh 6p No. 44 used	5.00
169.	St. Lucia, (1904-22), 6d No. 54 mint, 5sh No. 86 used	4.25
170.	Seychelles, (1917-20), rupee values 82-4 & 89 all used	7.25
171.	Seychelles, (1920), 5 rupee No. 90 used. Superb & scarce	10.00
172.	Seychelles, (1921), rupee values 101, 102, both used	5.00
173.	Somal. Prot., (1921), 2, 3, 5 rupees No. 74-6, used	6.30
174.	So. West Africa, 615, 616a, two used blocks	5.00
175.	Tanganyika, (1921), 5 rupee No. 7 mint	10.00
176.	Turks Is., (1882-7), ½ to 4p, No .44a, 45-6-7-8 used	9.50
177.	Zanzibar, (1913), 5 rupee No. 133, used	7.00
178.	Zanzibar, (1913), 10 rupee No. 134 used, slight crease	15.00
179.	127 diff. better grade Br. Col.	30.00
180.	A similar lot 275 stamps incl. dupl.	36.29
	CANADA	
181.	1868—Large pence ½, 1, 2, 3, 6, (21-25)	6.50
182.	1868—Large pence ½, 3, 6, (21, 24, 25)	3.25
183.	1872—Small pence 3, 5, 6, 10c (34, 35, 38, 43, 45, 48)	2.71
184.	1897-8 Victoria (66-81 cpl.) fine used	5.20
185.	1912-32 Coil stamps 13 var. in mint pairs Face Val.	.48
186.	1928-32 Airmail 5 var. (incl. shade) in blks. Face Val.	1.12
187.	Miscellaneous mint blocks finely centered face	2.00
188.	Cover bearing horiz. pair 5c beaver, neat & pretty	—
189.	Cover bearing vert. pair 5c beaver, neat & pretty	—
190.	Cover bearing 10c 1859, neat & pretty	—
191.	Cover with both U. S. & Canada pmks. on face bearing 6c 1872, fine	—
	NEWFOUNDLAND	
192.	1866 2c, 24c (24, 29)	3.50
193.	1868 3c, 5c (37,38)	1.80
194.	1880 1c, 1c, 3c, 5c (39, 40, 42, 43)	3.30
195.	1887-90 ½c to 5c (44-48, 50)	2.65
196.	1897 Cabot 1 to 6c, 10c (61-66, 68) used	2.40
197.	1910 Guy 5c (91, 91a) used	1.50
198.	1910 Guy 8c (93) og-	3.00
199.	1910 Guy 9c (94) og-	3.00
200.	1910 Guy 10c (95) og-	3.00
201.	1910 Guy 12c (96) og-	3.50
202.	1910 Guy 15c (97) og-	4.00
203.	1911 Guy 6c (98) og-	2.00
204.	1911 Guy 8c (99) og-	5.00
205.	1918 Caribou 1c-36c cpl. (115-26)	9.91
206.	1920 Surcharge 2c on 30c (127) mint	1.25
207.	1923 1c to 20c (131-143) mint	5.70
208.	1923 24c (144) superb used	3.00
209.	1928 Whitehead—Morris 1c—30c (145-59) mint	10.16
210.	1929 Dick. Hard paper (162-174) mint worth	2.00
211.	1931 Dick. wmk. (177-87) mint worth	2.50
212.	1931-32 New Designs & colors (192-210) complete worth	2.50
213.	1931 Airmail 15c unwmk. (506)	1.50
214.	1931 Airmail 15c (506) block of four	6.00
215.	1931 Airmail 50c unwmk. (507)	3.00
216.	1931 Airmail 50c unwmk. (507) block of four	12.00
217.	1931 Airmail $1 unwmk. (508)	5.00
218.	1931 Airmail $1 unwmk. (508) block of four	20.00
219.	1932 Airmail D. O. X. flight (512) worth	8.00
	U. S. USED	
220.	1851 1c (32d)	4.50
221.	1870-79 Bank Notes 6 var.	2.60
222.	1882-7 Bank Notes 3 var.	3.00
223.	1898 Trans-Miss. 8c, 10c	1.60
224.	1901 Pan-Amer. 1c to 10c cpl.	3.05
225.	1918 $5 green and black (524)	3.50
226.	1923 $5 carmine and blue (573)	2.50
227.	1923 $2, $5 (572 & 3) fine but perf. init.	3.00
228.	1929 Kans. cpl. (658-668)	1.68
229.	1929 Nebr. cpl. (669-679)	2.75
230.	1924-5 Lex., Walloon, Norse (604-621)	1.83

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Lot No.	Description	Cat. Value
	U. S. MINT	
231.	1925 Norse American 2c, 5c, og blocks	5.00
232.	1928 Hawaii 2c, 5c og blocks	4.50
233.	1927-8 Vermont, Valley Forge, etc. (643-46) og. blocks	2.20
	DEPARTMENTS AND COLONIES	
234.	War Dept. Hard paper 3c (1584) fine mint	10.00
235.	War Dept. Hard. Same in block of four	125.00
236.	Postal Savings $1 (1637) used	1.00
237.	Newspapers 9 var. avr.	19.35
238.	Newspapers 6 card proofs	2.80
239.	Postage Due (2257) 50c S. L. rare	2.00
240.	Shanghai (3280-3297) cpl. mint	19.98
241.	Shanghai (3298-3299) locals—mint	5.00
242.	Shanghai $1 (3297) fine mint	5.00
243.	Shanghai $1 (3297) fine mint block	25.00
244.	Canal Zone Provisional Postage Due used (321)	1.75
245.	Canal Zone No. 321, fine mint block 6	9.00
246.	Cuba 10c Spec. Deliv. (551) not cent., Mint	2.50
247.	Guam 10c (8) og.	5.00
248.	Guam 50c (11) og.	12.00
249.	Philippines 5 var. on U. S. 1898 issue	2.40
250.	Philippines 8c 1902 unused	2.50
251.	Philippines 15c 1902 unused	2.00
252.	Philippines 50c 1902 unused	6.00
253.	Philippines 3c U. S. due (555) mint	1.50
254.	Philippines 30c U. S. due (556) mint	7.00
	U. S. REVENUES	
255.	9 var. Civil War imperf. & Part perf. all fine	4.60
256.	36 var. Civil War perforated, fine lot	9.48
257.	10c For. Ex. & Prop. (3834, 3837)	2.25
258.	30c For. Exch. (3850) avr. only	15.00
259.	1898 80c bistre (4036) 10 fine copies	3.00
260.	Small Wines 4168-77-79-83 to 87	1.78
261.	Small Wines 4168-77-79-83 to 87, 10 of each	17.80
262.	Large Wines 9 var.	2.85
263.	Wines $20. (4219) superb with label	10.00
264.	Wines $40 (4220) superp with label	25.00
265.	Wines $50. (4221) superb with label	25.00
266.	Wines $100. (4222) superb with label	80.00

Lot No.	Description	Cat. Value
267.	Wines $20.-$100. (4219-22) superb set with labels	90.00
268.	Stock Transfer 26 var.	4.71
269.	Future Delivery 14 var.	3.51
270.	Documentary 11x10 perf. (4299-4300-4302)	3.00
271.	Documentary 11x10 perf. (4301) 10c. Rare, unpriced by Scott. Worth	4.00
272.	Narcotic—8c printed surch. used, rare	—
273.	Narcotic—6c, 16c, $1.00 strip stamps worth over	1.00
274.	Imperf. Block Four—2c Express Blue, Fine	50.00
	U. S. USED BLOCKS	
275.	1902—50c (310) avr. only	7.50
276.	Norse American 5c (621) fine	3.00
277.	Hawaii 2c-5c (647-8) fine	4.35
278.	Walloon 1c-2c-5c (614-16) beautiful	2.45
279.	1923—$5 (573) fine	15.00
280.	1923—$5 (573) light canc. but perf. int. Pretty	15.00
281.	Kansas 1c-10c complete, fine	9.75
282.	Nebr. 1c-10c complete, fine	13.75
283.	1932 Bi-Centennial 1c-10c complete superb worth	2.00
284.	AIRMAIL 1306-1310, 5 fine blocks	3.10
285.	Miscellaneous, 14 blocks poor condition	12.80
286.	Collection, 143 blocks exceptionally fine lot including Kans., Nebr., Bi-Cent.—complete sets; Air, Commem., etc.	76.14
287.	Collection, 32 var. Commem. blocks, avr.	18.60
	PLATE NUMBERS—VARIETIES—POSITION BLOCKS, ETC.	
288.	25 plate blocks 4 various 2c commem.	5.00
289.	25 plate blocks 6 various 2c commem.	7.50
290.	1c Pan Amer. (294) Top arrow, superb	1.50
291.	2c Trans-Miss. (286) 27 single plate numbers, fine mint	4.86
292.	1c Imperf. (408) single plate numbers. All four positions of plates 5918, 6009, 6011, 6012. Interesting. Fine mint	—
293.	1c imperf. (408) asst. of 55 single plate numbers	5.50
294.	2c imperf. (409) 14 var. single plate numbers	1.40
295.	Walloon (614-16). Bottom plate blocks 4 fiine mint	3.75

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THE WESTCHESTER STAMP CO. MAIL ORDER AUCTION

Lot No.	Description	Cat. Value
296.	Walloon (614-16). Top plate blocks 4 fine mint	3.75
297.	1c imperf. (408) center line block. Superb	1.50
298.	1c imperf. (408) T, B, and L arrow blocks, mint	2.55
299.	1c imperf. (481) center line block. Superb	1.50
300.	1c imperf. (481) T, B, and L arrow blocks, mint	1.50
301.	2c imperf. (409) T, B, and L arrow blocks, mint	2.55
302.	2c imperf. (409) Right arrow block, mint	.85
303.	1c offset imperf. (531) Top arrow block, superb	7.00
304.	1c offset imperf. (531) Left arrow block, superb	7.00
305.	1c offset imperf. (531) Right arrow block, superb	7.00
306.	2c offset imperf. (532) Left arrow block ,superb	1.50
307.	1½c imperf. (576) Superb block 16	4.00
308.	2c imperf. (577) Superb center line block 16	8.75
309.	2c imperf. (577) Bottom arrow block mint	2.50
310.	1½c rotary imperf. (631) superb block 16	4.00
311.	1½c rotary imperf. (631) line block 4, superb	2.00
312.	Rare rotary (595) plate block 6—No. 14340, poorly centered	120.00
313.	Rare rotary (595) plate block 6—No. 14538, poorly centered	120.00
314.	Rare rotary (595) plate block 4—No. 15583, poorly centered	80.00
315.	Special Delivery (1900) Top plate block 6, fine o. g.	1.85
316.	5c Norse American (621) superb Top plate arrow block 8	10.00

PLATE VARIETIES, ETC.

318.	20c Rotary Press (698) superb block 9 cracked plate	—
319.	7c Bi-Centennial U. L 20563 shows double transfer	—
320.	5c Olympics—UR 20868 line thru "5" poor centering	—
321.	Lake Placid, cracked plate block of 9 right pane very good	—
322.	Lake Placid, cracked plate block of 9 left pane superb	—
323.	2c 1902 block 6—heavy smudged print. RARE	—
324.	2c 1902 block 6—not quite so heavily smudged	—
325.	Set of photographs showing various plate varieties — worth $2.00	—

U. S. COVERS

326.	Stampless—fine lot of 36—all with handstamped markings. Worth easily	5.00
327.	1851-61—8 covers (no 3c) worth	7.00

Lot No.	Description	Cat. Value
328.	1851-57—17 covers including Exp. Mail. Good lot	—
329.	1870-82—fine lot of 17 small covers good variety	—
330.	Fine lot of 22 advertising covers, interesting	—
331.	Hotel covers—8 from 1857 to 1879	—
332.	Naval covers—11 scarce items	—
333.	45—20th century covers with colored pmks. from small offices	—
334.	Soldiers letters (Span.-Amer.) 8 in usual condition	—
335.	Executive Mansion corner card, pmk. in purple Sept. 25, 1878	—
336.	2c Coil Stamp (444) on small cover pmk. Vera Cruz May 8, 1914	—
337.	Rare combination U. S. & Persian stamps. A pretty cover	—
338.	Fancy Registry Cover, Poplar, Wisc., 7 stamps hit individually by Poplar tree canc. Pretty. Worth	3.00
339.	8 U. S. covers canc. in foreign ports. Good lot	—
340.	Set of colored covers (10) Heroes of Span.-Amer. War (unused)	—
341.	Fine lot of 20 various first days	—
342.	First Flight Zeppelin cover U. S. to Germany, Oct. 28, 1928, franked with 5c and $1.00 stamps	—
343.	First Flight Zeppelin card franked with 53c postage	—
344.	Interesting lot of 50 miscell. covers—Worth over	5.00

MISCELLANY

345.	Austria 25k rose (611) Rarely offered, mint	6.00
346.	China 1923 $10 green and claret scarce	4.00
347.	China 1931. Sun Yat Sen Type I—20c, $1.00, $5.00 — 10 of each, used	—
348.	Liechtenstein complete for the Junior Album	17.81
349.	Liechtenstein Air Mail 403, 404, 5, 6, superb used blks.	16.40
350.	Switzerland No. 24, 6 good copies	12.00
351.	Switzerland 66-67 both used	13.00
352.	Switzerland Air Mails and Dues cpl. for Jr. Album	3.17
353.	Switzerland Juventutes cpl. for Junior Album	3.17
354.	Upper Silesia No. 10 "Haerte" guarantee	10.00
355.	Sweden—Fine lot of used. All different	10.00
356.	60 var. Liechtenstein on 150 covers, very fine	60.74
357.	MYSTERY LOT—a glad surprise	—

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Naval Cancellations

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The West Coast itinerary of "Old Ironsides" has undergone several changes. The revised schedule follows: Feb. 17 to Mar. 10, San Pedro; Mar. 10 to 20, Long Beach; Mar. 22 to Apr. 12, San Francisco; April 12 to 26, Oakland; April 26 to May 2, Vallejo; May 6 to 10, Astoria; May 10 to 22, Portland; May 22 to 25, Longview; May 27 to 31, Port Angeles; May 31 to June 15, Seattle; June 15 to 22, Tacoma; June 22 to July 1, Olympia; July 1 to 6, Bremerton; July 7 to 14, Everett; July 14 to 20, Bellingham; July 20 to 24, Anacortes; July 24 to 31, Port Townsend; Aug. 2 to 9, Gray's Harbor; Aug. 11 to 21, San Francisco.

San Pedro used a beautiful bi-colored printed cachet on covers mailed there on the arrival of the CONSTITUTION, Feb. 17. San Diego used a beautiful rubber-stamp cachet duning "Old Ironsides'" stay there. All that I have seen are in black ink. Cancels in black, of course.

It is reported that San Francisco will use a cachet. Send covers to John D. Long, Cachet Director, Chamber of Commerce. Astoria, Oregon, Chamber of Commerce will also sponsor cachet. Washington State Philatelic Society will sponsor cachet for visit there; send covers to D. C. Bartley, 6035 Eighth avenue. (Astoria will use a different color each day.) Be sure to put sufficient postage on all packs of covers. I am sure that those in charge will appreciate commemoratives on outer cover.

U.S.S. BROOKS, on Feb. 3 used the words "1811 HORACE—GREELEY BORN." On Feb. 15, the words "U.S.S. MAINE—SUNK 1898" were used. On Feb. 1, "NAVY YARD—BROOKLYN, N. Y." was used followed by "U. S.—MEXICO—TREATY, 1848" on the second. All cancels in blue.

I have the following cancels dated Feb. 12: INDIANAPOLIS, black, "NAVY YARD — PHILA., PA"; PENNSYLVANIA, black, "LINCOLN'S—BIRTHDAY"; QUAIL, magenta, "PEARL HARBOR—T.H."; NEVADA, black, "LINCOLN'S—BIRTHDAY"; MEDUSA, black, "FLEET—REPAIR."

U.S.S. AARON WARD on Feb. 12 used a violet cancel with "SAN FRANCISCO—CALIFORNIA" in the location spaces. This cancel and color also used on Feb. 20.

U.S.S. MARYLAND used type 6 (metal handstamp) on Feb. 12; black ink. A type 5 cancel was used on Feb. 14, except that entwined hearts, pierced with an arrow, cancel the stamps.

U.S.S. HANNIBAL used a blue-green cancel on Feb. 2, with "BALBOA—CANAL ZONE" between killer bars. This was used on Feb 4 with "OTOQUE ISLE—GULF OF PANAMA" between the bars.

Co-operators this issue are Robert Matthews and several mail clerks.

Our New Postoffice Staff

Audus T. Davis, Chief Clerk of the Post Office Department, late this afternoon administered the oath of office to the four Assistant Postmasters General following their appointment by President Roosevelt. The oath of office was also administered to Harllee Branch, who becomes Executive Assistant to Postmaster General Farley.

The four Assistants who took the oath of office were: First Assistant Postmaster General—Joseph C. O'Mahoney; Second Assistant Postmaster General—William W. Howes; Third Assistant Postmaster General—Clinton B. Eilenberger; Fourth Assistant Postmaster General—Silliman Evans.

There is no truth to the report that Chicago's commemorative stamp will picture the latest model machine gun; nor will Al Capone's mob be hired to sell them to collectors.

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« Editorials »

THE WESTCHESTER MAIL ORDER AUCTION Our readers cannot fail to note with interest the four page supplement featured by The Westchester Stamp Company's advertisement in this week's Linn's. Advertising, in complete form, a mail order auction is a new departure in philatelic circles.

For the past three years, The Westchester Stamp Company has been a consistent advertiser in our paper and have watched it grow to its present impressive position. Westchester has also grown during this period and we feel proud in knowing that we have been, in part, responsible for their progress.

Their faith in us and their progressive ideas are admirably shown in their current mail order auction advertisement. We hope that our readers will give it careful attention and send bids so that Westchester's confidence in Linn's Weekly Stamp News may not be in vain.

BUSINESS AS USUAL Throughout the past three critical weeks, Linn's Weekly Stamp News has been endeavoring to carry on business in the same manner as in the past. Few of our advertising patrons have had any occasion to curtail their use of space and were it not for the fact that banking facilities are paralyzed, we would hardly know that the country has been passing through a period of reorganization. A period that will undoubtedly put the country back on its feet in a firm manner. Business will be able to begin to forge ahead instead of stagger about in the darkness that has kept it in a semi-paralyzed state for the past many months.

It has been our policy to carry on and support our patrons to the extent of our ability. With the revival that is about to begin it will be necessary that everyone attempt to put his house in order, and like the Government, we must all attempt to balance our accounts. It will be necessary that those who are able to pay their accounts, make it their business to settle those accounts. This is true in all lines of the stamp trade. Auction dealers have long complained of the difficulty of having their customers promptly take care of their obligations. Bills have been run, debts assumed, obligations broken and disregarded. It must be part of the plan of reconstruction that each individual attempt to clean up his slate and keep the money moving that all may eventually meet their obligations.

With the return of normal business, there is certain to be a stiffening of credit. Dealers as well as publishers will find plenty of profitable business for cash or with people who will promptly meet their obligations and with this profitable new business, those who hope to get by without due regard for their obligations will find themselves neglected in order that those who will meet their obligations may be better served.

We turned the corner on March 4. What a terrible wreckage we found. It will take a short time to clean up the mess then ahead we go on a new path, behind a leader who has the confidence of the great multitude of the people behind him and we need but follow the example he sets in order that we may reach the promised land.

FEBRUARY FIVE YEAR CLUB PRIZES We have just completed the checkup of the prize winners in the Five Year Club for February. Prizes go to the three persons introducing the largest number of new members in the Five Year Club during that month. First prize to A. D. Coulson for the Stanislaus Stamp Club of Modesto, Calif. Second prize to Lois Chenoweth, Sioux Falls, S. Dak., and third prize to Bob Mackelfresh, Asheville, N. C.

Prizes as offered in our February list will be sent these people when we receive word from them as to which prize on the list is wanted since we give them first, second and third choice of the prizes offered.

Due to the banking situation in March, we have offered no list of

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prizes for this month, since it is next to impossible for most people to spare funds from their meagre cash for things other than necessities.

A list of prizes for April together with a new April free gift to members of the club will be announced later in the month.

POLITICAL CACHETS Your editor started some months ago on a collection of cacheted covers of political significance and the Inauguration of March 4th added several new and striking covers to the collection started during the months of the late campaign.

Dr. S. E. Hutnick of West Philadelphia, Pa., sends a handsome hand drawn cover listing the new Roosevelt cabinet, also a cover extolling the virtues of Washington, Lincoln and Roosevelt and a cover in memory of the last Inauguration to be held on March 4th. Dr. Hutnick also sends a cover in memory of the Inauguration and mailed aboard the U. S. Frigate Constitution from San Pedro, Calif.

From Milford F. Van Riper of Freeport, N. Y., comes an Inauguration day cover cancelled March 4 at Roosevelt, N. Y. Arthur A. Gilbert, D.D.S., Chicago sends a very clever hand drawn cover commemorating the last day of the Lame Duck Congress, this is mailed from Duck, North Carolina, and has a pen picture of a duck with appropriate wording.

THREE, THREE, THIRTY-THREE is the motif of two attractive covers. Third day of the third month of 1933. One from C. Carl Ramming of St. Louis, very cleverly drawn and another from Bill Elliott of Findlay and mailed from Threeway, Va.

WE TAKE ESPECIAL PRIDE IN our leading article this week. A story of the 700th Birthday of the ancient Polish City of Torun. This article is sent to us by Mr. Frank Switalski, whose son Jack is attending lectures in the University of Cracow. Mr. Switalski is General Manager of the Cincinnati Automobile Club and the article is by his son. The story is inspired by the late 60 gr. stamp of Poland, issued in honor of the seven hundredth birthday of Torun.

WHILE LAST WEEK WAS ABOUT the bottom of our business depression it so happened that the volume of advertising in our paper was about the heaviest that we have had for some months past.

News of The Stamp World

A very complete price list, pocket size, listing United States stamps, comes from Mr. Frederick H. Dietz, 135 W. 42nd St., New York. The colonies are also included as well as many special items.

Stamp collectors of Palisades Park, N. J., will be interested in learning that the Ridgefield Philatelic Society has been organized in their city. Already there are fourteen members and meetings are held at members' homes. Those interested can get in touch with the secretary, Charles A. Adrion, 55 W. Palisades Blvd, Palisades Park, N. J.

The North Boroughs Philatelic Society is the latest active body of stamp collectors in the Pittsburg area. The society was organized at the American Legion Home at Avalon, Pa., on February 19th. Collectors in the vicinity can get further information from the Secretary, A. Besnecker, 400 Cornell Ave., West View, Pa.

The Philatelic Society of Pittsburgh has just issued an Annual which covers in a brief way a history of the club from its organization up to the present time. A review of the past year's activities with plans for the future are discussed, also a list of officers of the past, a list of members and the Constitution and By-Laws of the Club make a very interesting booklet for the members.

The Montclair Stamp Club of Montclair, N. J., will meet March 31st at 8 p. m. at the Montclair YMCA and every second Friday thereafter, instead of weekly as heretofore. Visitors are always welcome.

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AIR MAIL FLASHES

Edited By
H. G. KINGDOM
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C. A. M. Additions

The Postal Bulletin of March 3d. announced that effective on March 2d. service would be started on A. M. 9, from Detroit, via. Grand Rapids to Milwaukee, Wis. and the same route extended from Bismark, N. D. via. Glendive, Mont. and Miles City, Mont. to Billings, Mont. so that no one outside of those cities had notice of these extensions until after they were actually in operation. The department mentioned no cachets or special markings as being authorized for any of these cities. Covers from these extentions will no doubt be very scarce. We know only of one local collector who had a cover on the Bismark-Billings flight.

Another swift one which came along was the addition of Oakland, Cal., to AM 34, on March 1st with only about two hours notice, so try and get one of those.

Looks like these were the dieing gasps of the old administration.

Stop at Cardington

Dickason reports that the Graf Zeppelin will stop at Cardington on its South American trips this spring. They may only take on passengers, but the British Government might authorize the carrying of its mail, making it an official British dispatch, otherwise mail could only be posted on board the dirigible.

"Washington" Sails

The new 24,000 ton liner "Washington" of the U. S. Lines, is scheduled to sail from New York on her maiden voyage on May 10th. Probably covers sent to the Mail Clerk of this Steamer, at New York, just prior to that date with request to mail on board will bring a good souvenir. Better use 5c postage on these covers, and send to a foreign address if possible.

Coming

Crescent City Stamp Club will sponsor cachet for the 10th Anniversary of the First Flight F. A. M. 2, New Orleans to Pilot Town, La., April 9th, originally by hydroplane. Send air covers to Emil A. Thurman, 1366 Laharpe St., New Orleans, La.

Compton, Cal., airport will be dedicated April 2nd during the annual American Legion air show. Send air mail covers only and empty, to Fred H. Wilde, 917 N. Burris Ave., to reach him by March 31st. This will be a printed cachet, but no postage dues will be accepted.

Cincinnati Union Terminal will be officially opened March 31st and covers for cachet should go to Harold A. Spaeth, 3917 Spring Grove Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

April 8th, an attractive cachet will be sponsored by the International Air Mail Society for the 125th Anniversary of the founding of Cortland County, N. Y. Send one cover to the Society at 1800 W. Fayette St., Syracuse, N. Y.

The "Spirit of Progress"

On May 24th or 25th William Solberg and Ross Mahachek, naval pilots, will take off from the waters of Lake Michigan in front of the "Century of Progress" at Chicago, in an attempt to circle the Globe and return to the Exposition within seven days. They will fly a Lockheed-Sirius equipped with pontoons, and fly to Hamilton Inlet, Labrador; Reykjavik, Iceland; Leningrad, Omsk, Lake Baikal, Okhotsk, Russia; Nome, Alaska, Endmonton, Canada, and back to Chicago. It is understood that a quantity of mail will be carried, and any one interested can reach these men, at Suite 1920, 360 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. Thanks to Bernard Schaefer for this information.

A Philatelic Nut

He was a philatelic nut
From a philatelic tree,
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But when he met with other nuts
From other family trees
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THE WASHINGTON STAMP BULLETIN
The Washington Stamp Bulletin is an information service, not a price list. Its sole objective is advising collectors of new United States and Canadian stamps and airmail routes. Special post card bulletins are issued the day of announcement. Twenty-four such were issued from March, 1932, to February 16, 1933. Interesting articles each month by people who know how to gather information and write it. Bargains and changes in our price list are the only advertising. List of stamps at the Philatelic Agency a feature. $1 per year.
THE CAPITOL STAMP AND COVER SERVICE
2121 New York Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

1907 Christmas Seals

In April and May 1932, the Scott Stamp and Coin Company published in their monthly journal a standard check list of Christmas seals issued by the American Red Cross and the National. Tuberculosis Association This list, compiled by W. L. Kinkead and revised by Dorsey F. Wheless, both well-known authorities on this subject, was based upon information secured from the National Tuberculosis Association and from other sources. From knowledge that was available to Mr. Kinkead and Mr. Wheless it was apparent that the number of 1907 Christmas seals in existence in April 1932, was so limited that the dealers were justified in putting a price of $5 on Type I and of $7.50 on Type II.

It now develops that the Delaware Anti-Tuberculosis Society is offering 5,000 of the 1907 seals for sale, and from this fact and other information available to the National Tuberculosis Association it is apparent that there is a much larger quantity in existence and in the hands of the Delaware Society than was known about a year ago, when the prices above quoted were fixed. The existence of this large quantity of 1907 seals, exactly how many the National Tuberculosis Association does not know, will materially affect the prices quoted in the check list issued a year ago.

The National Tuberculosis Association therefore gives this information to the public, realizing that the existence of so large a quantity of the 1907 seals will materially reduce the prices heretofore quoted and that this information may affect unfavorably the entire market for old Christmas seals.

Information concerning prices may be secured from reliable dealers.

—Bulletin of the National Tuberculosis Association.

Christmas Seal Variety

Mr. Arthur Helfrich of Allentown, Pa., submits a sheet of the 1932 Christmas seals and calls our attention to the fact that the small boy in long pants, has green pants on in most of the pictures of the 100 seals and in other instances his pants are blue. In the sheet at hand we note that the stamps number 15, 35, 85 and 95, show the boy with blue pants while all others show distinctly green pants.

This variety is easily explained by any printer familiar with the class of printing as shown on these seals. The seals are printed from three sets of plates. A yellow plate is first printed, then the red and blue plates are printed over the top of the yellow plate. Colors other than a straight yellow, blue or red that are noted in the seals come from the mingling of these three colors, the yellow and blue make the green. It therefore happens in this instance that the yellow plate which would represent the pants of the boy on the first print on the stamps as numbered above was not properly printed, probably the make-ready was poor and the yellow did not come up clearly on these four stamps. Therefore when the blue plate was run over the yellow, the lack of yellow in these four instances to mingle with the blue and produce the green, allowed these four stamps to show the boy with blue instead of green pants as would have been the case had the yellow print been perfect.

In examining this sheet, another interesting thing is noted which may or may not have been noted before in reference to this particular printing. The perforation is done by a comb machine as is clearly shown by a look at the sheet.

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L. W. Hamm of Fargo and a couple friends managed to get 75 covers on the eastern flight, with a hastily prepared mimeographed cachet. The cachet bears date of March 3 while the covers bear cancellation date of March 2.

Coldwater, Michigan now has a stamp club. It was organized March 6 and is made up of elderly collectors with the addition of a few high school scholars of the older class. Meetings are to be held on the first and third Monday of each month. The secretary, S. A. Parrish, P. O. Box 345 will be glad to hear from secretaries of other stamp clubs with a view to exchange of ideas.

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